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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/26/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/26/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/26/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/26/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/26/2006

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 DUE DATE 6-04-07  
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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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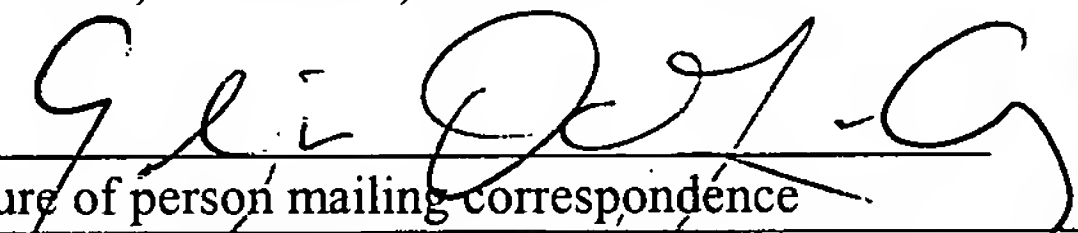
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REPLY TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

In reply to the Notification of Missing Requirements that was mailed in connection with the above-captioned application on April 4, 2007, a copy of which is enclosed, applicants, as a large entity, submit the following:

A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the international application number and international filing date.

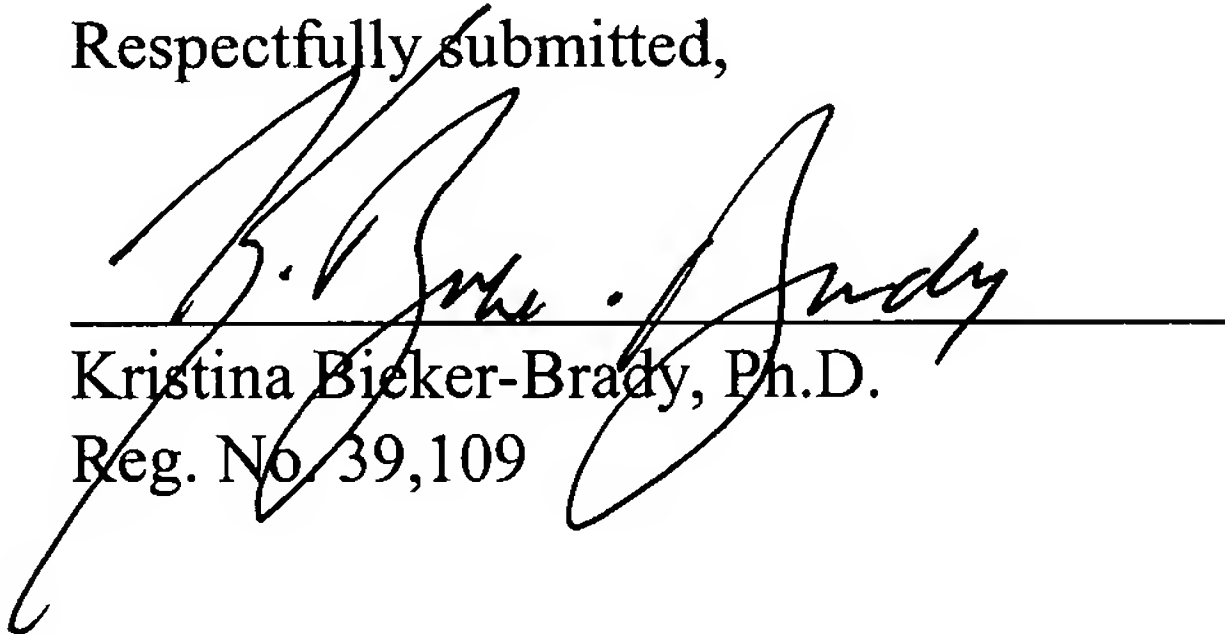
Enclosed is a Petition to extend the period for replying to the Notification for one month, to and including July 4, 2007, and a check in payment of the required extension fee.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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